GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3492
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ALLOCATION OF ADDITIONAL GAS TO RAJASTHAN
VSM (RETD.) COL. CHOUDHARY

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any representation from Rajasthan for allocation of additional Gas and clearance of Techno- Economic by Central Electrical Authority for installation of additional units (1x35.5 MW GT plus 1x35.5 MW ST) at Ramgarh;

(b) if so, the present status thereof; and

(c) the time by which the said proposal is likely to be cleared?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER(SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): Against a requirement of 0.5 MMSCMD gas for installation of additional units, only 0.2 MMSCMD gas has been allocated by the Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas which is not adequate.As such the use of HSD has been proposed by the erstwhile RSEB as a supporting fuel. A Detailed Project Report has accordingly, been submitted to the Central Electricity Authority (CEA) for issue of Techno-Economic Clearance of the project which will be granted by CEA as soon as additional fuel linkage becomes available.